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Who are the X-Men?

The X-Men are a mutant team dedicated to preserving the peace between mutants and humans, and protecting the world from mutants who believe their genes make them the rightful inheritors of the Earth! They are... Wolverine (Logan), Samurai Slasher! Cyclops (Scott Summers), One-Eyed Warrior! Storm (Ororo Munroe), Weather Witch! And Marvel Girl (Jean Grey), Sultry Psychic!

Emma Frost, a powerful mutant telepath, is bent on recruiting Jean Grey for the exclusive mutant Hellfire Club – so Frost can secure her own promotion in the club's ranks. She's sent bad-news mutants Iceman, Pyro and Colossus to attack the X-Men in their headquarters, and also convinced the local police that the X-Men are a band of marauding monsters! The X-Men have no trouble capturing Frost's thugs, but the police are a different story – even Storm's police officer boyfriend, Forge, thinks the X-Men ought to be behind bars. While Storm and Cyclops take a wounded Wolverine to their teacher Master Toad after a battle with the police, Jean is alone at headquarters minding the prisoners as police surround the building! Assailed on all sides, Jean lets loose with the full extent of her powers... and the results are explosive!



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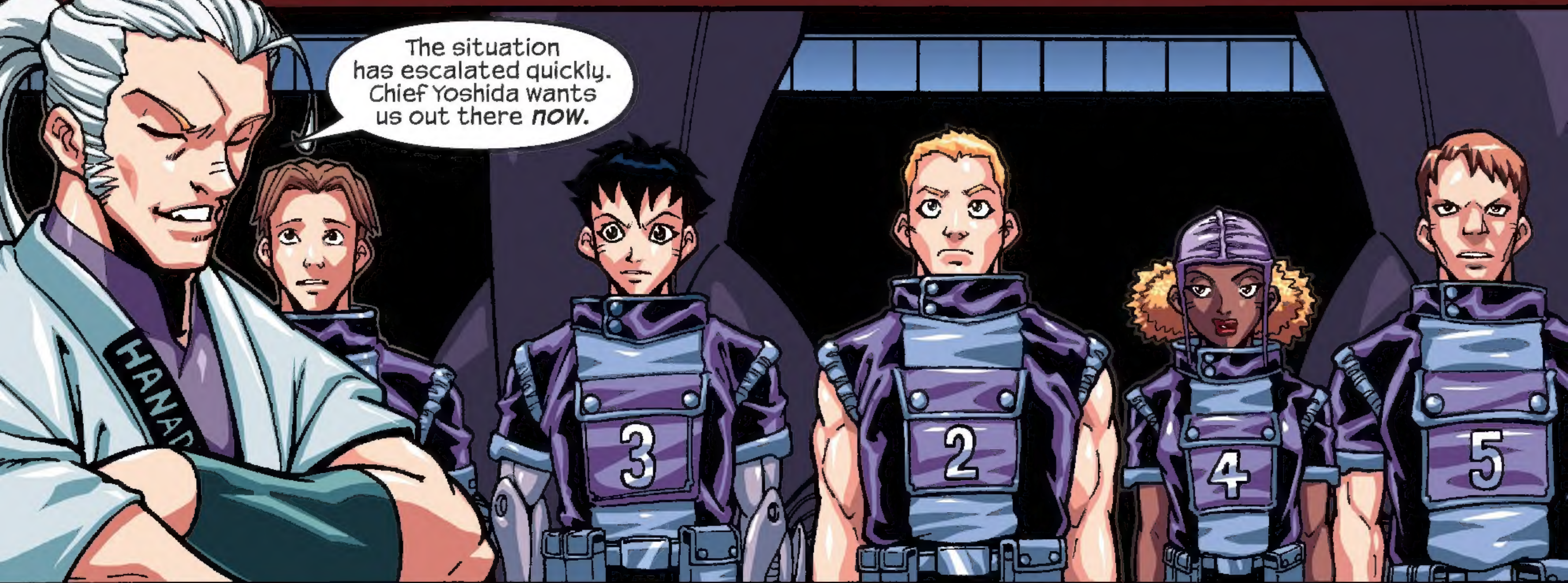
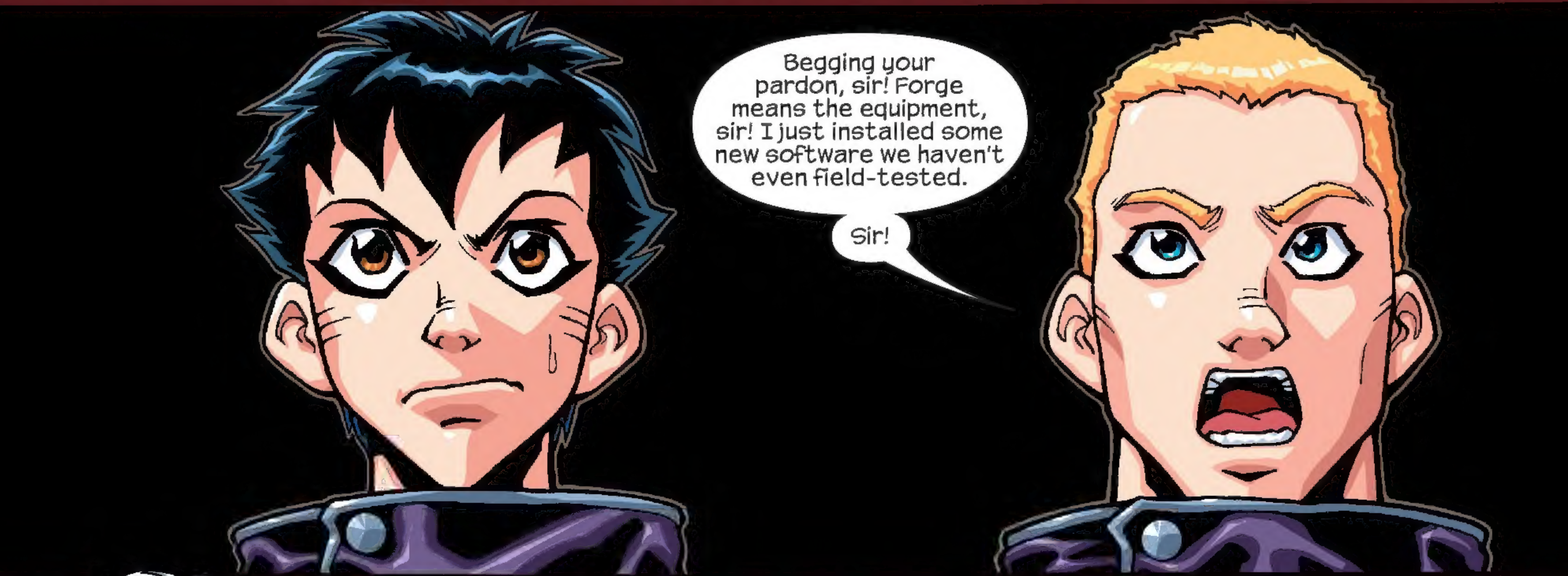


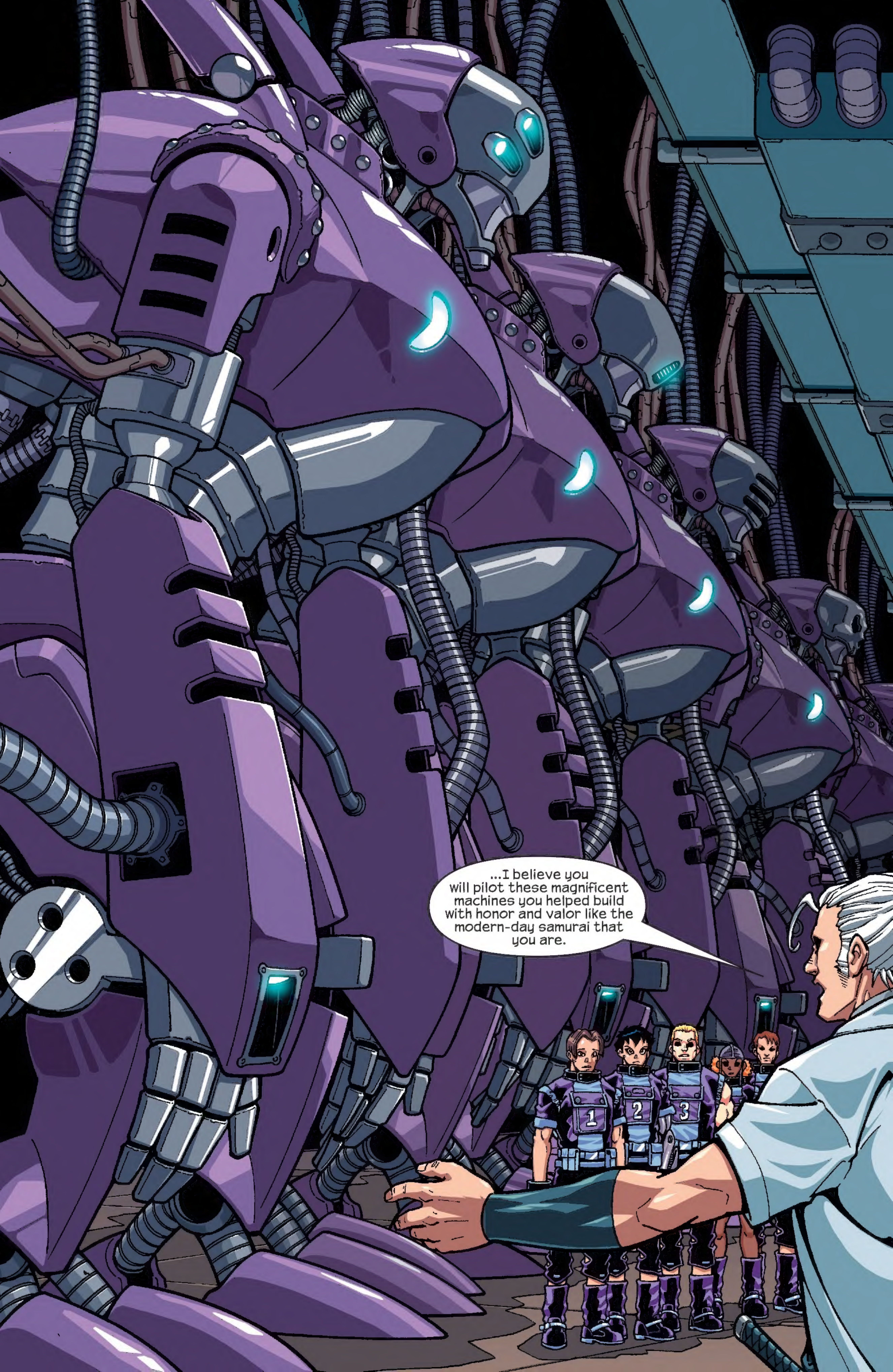
What's the matter, Emma?

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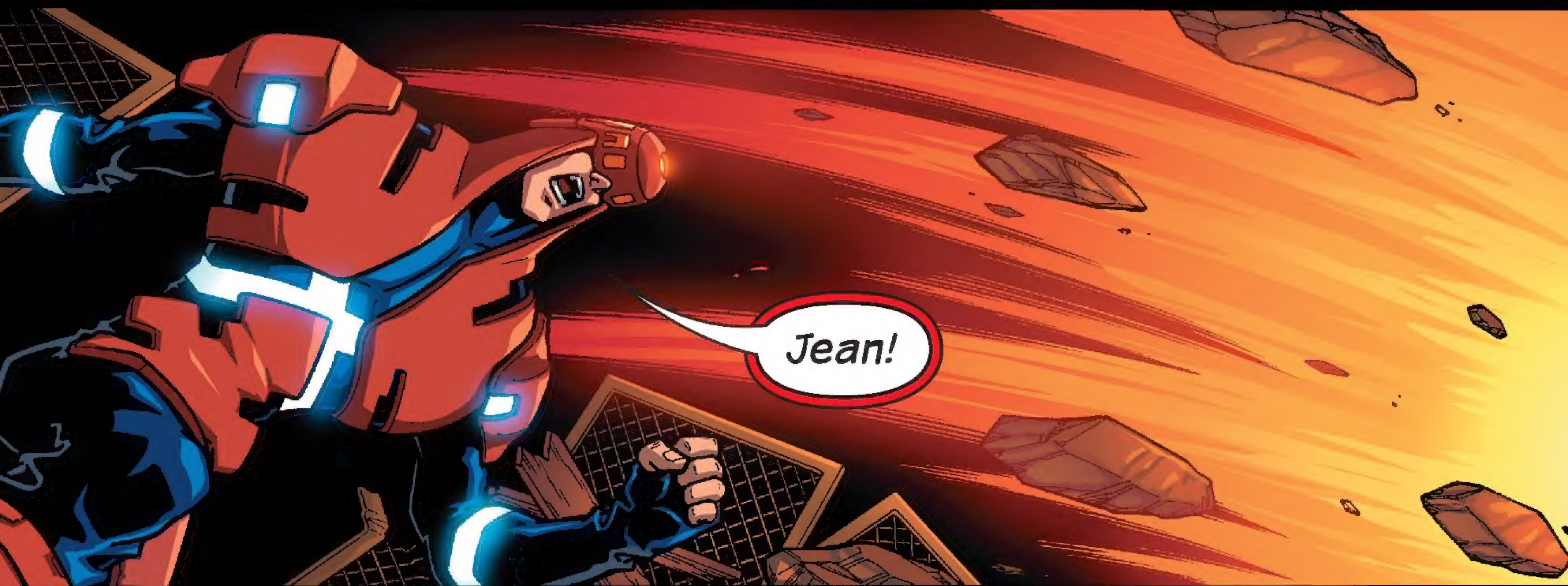
We have to go in there! Find the others...

No! We need back-up...



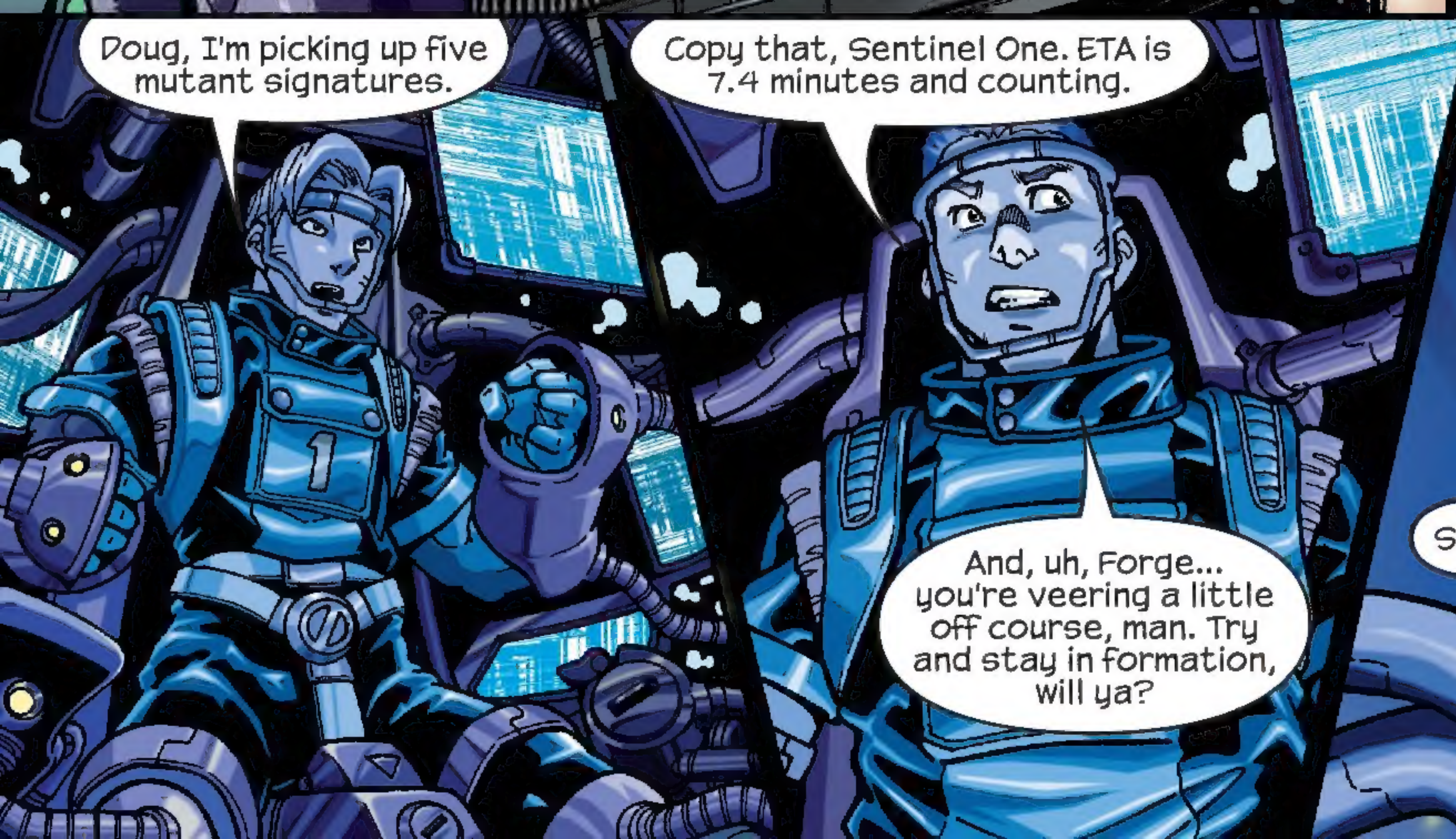
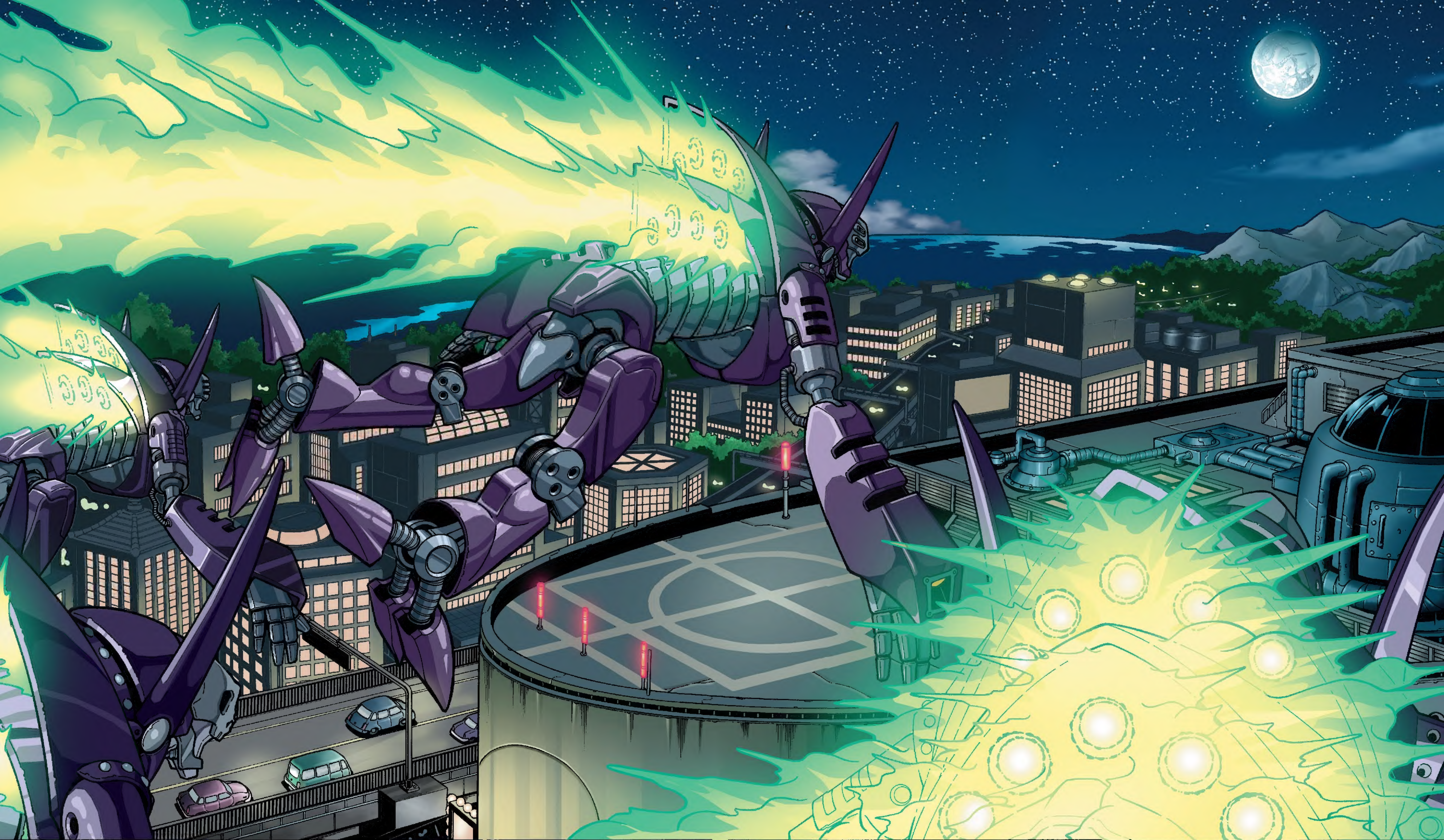


...I believe you
will pilot these magnificent
machines you helped build
with honor and valor like the
modern-day samurai that
you are.









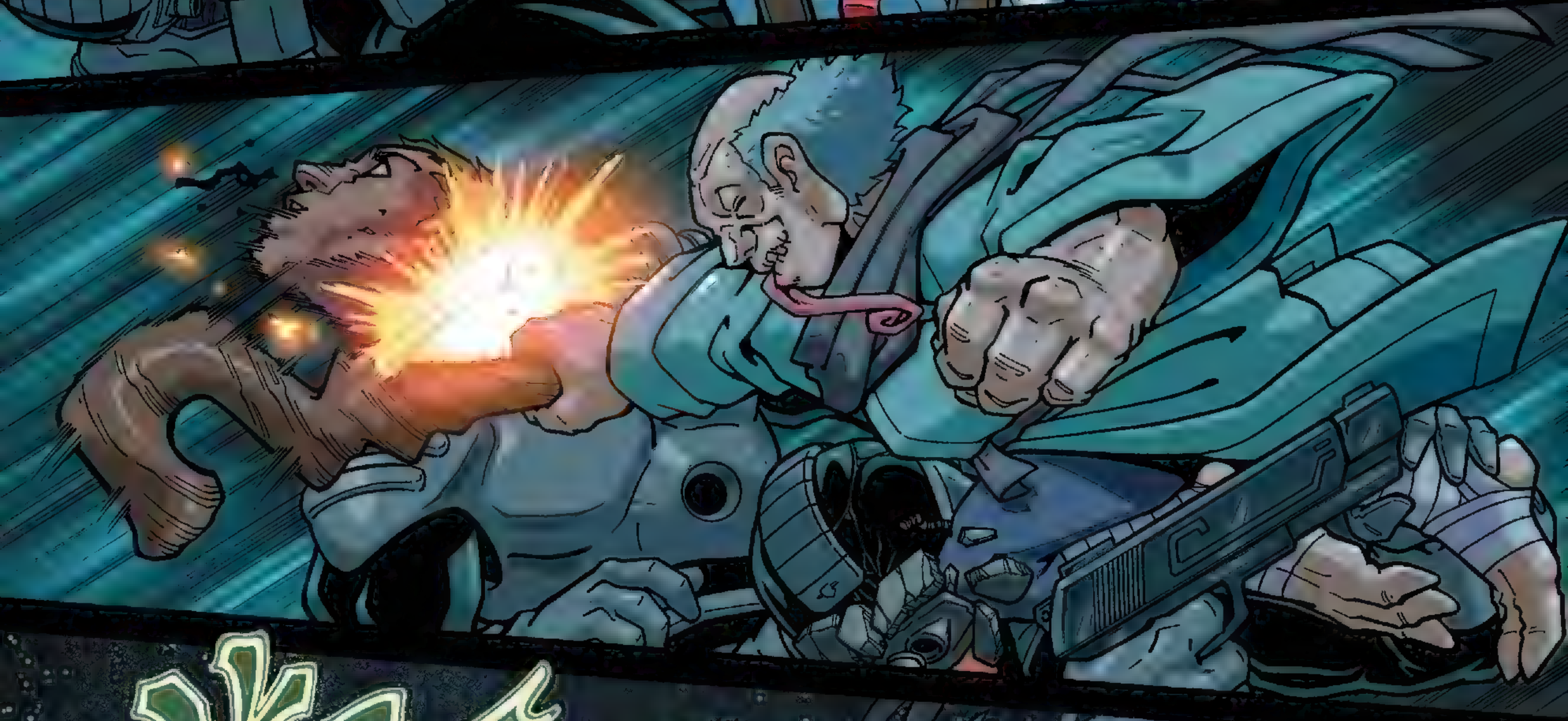


Jean,
where are
you?





More muties,
indeed.





Master Toad!
You've decided to
join us after all.

For
now, Storm.
For now.

Hey, you
guys! Over
here!



Jean! I'm
so relieved
that you're
okay.

Hanging
in there...

She's
unharmd,
then?

Yeah, I think
so. You're feeling
better as well,
Wolverine?



Sure,
but I've
seen better
days.





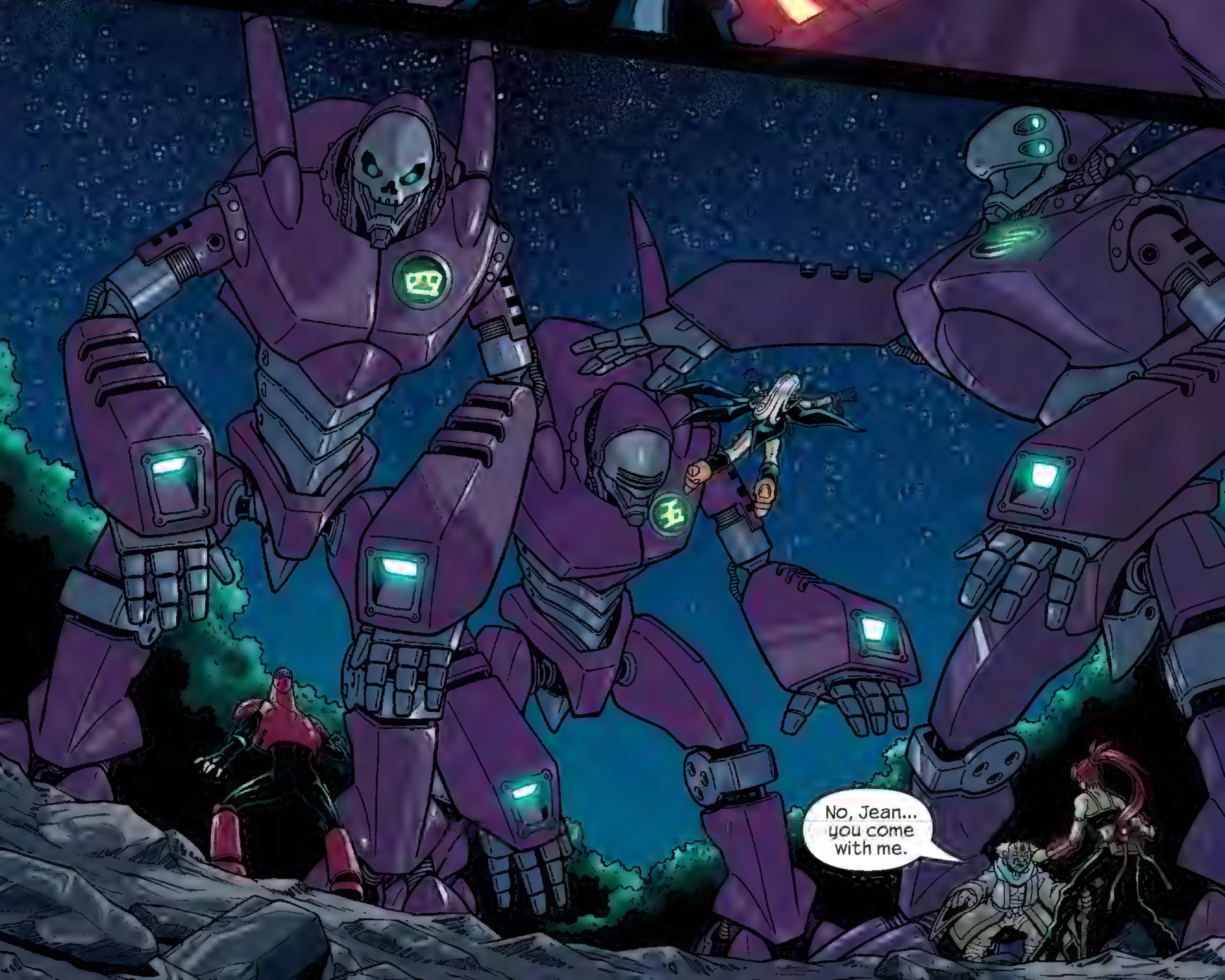


Ha! The old man's still got it!

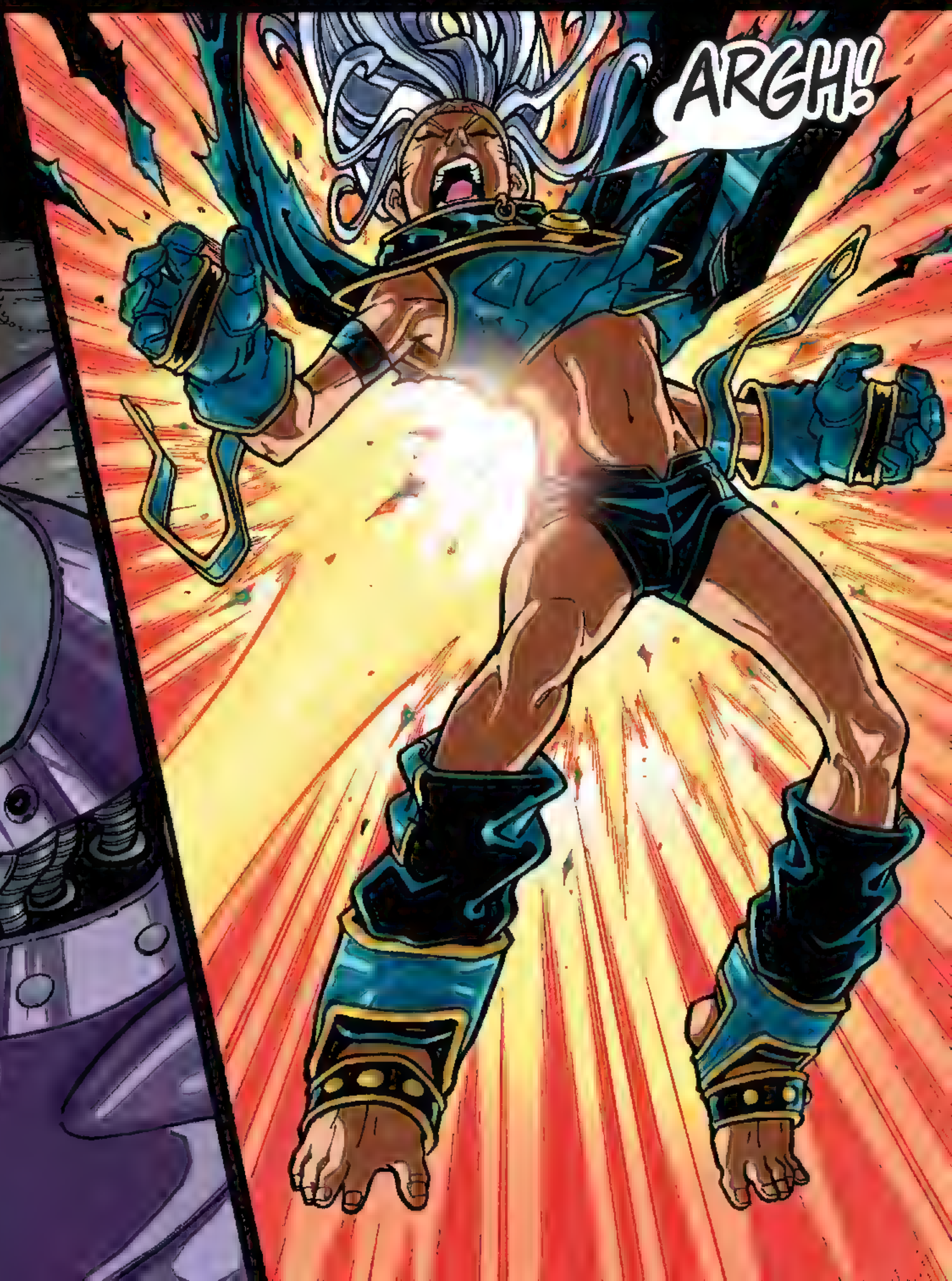
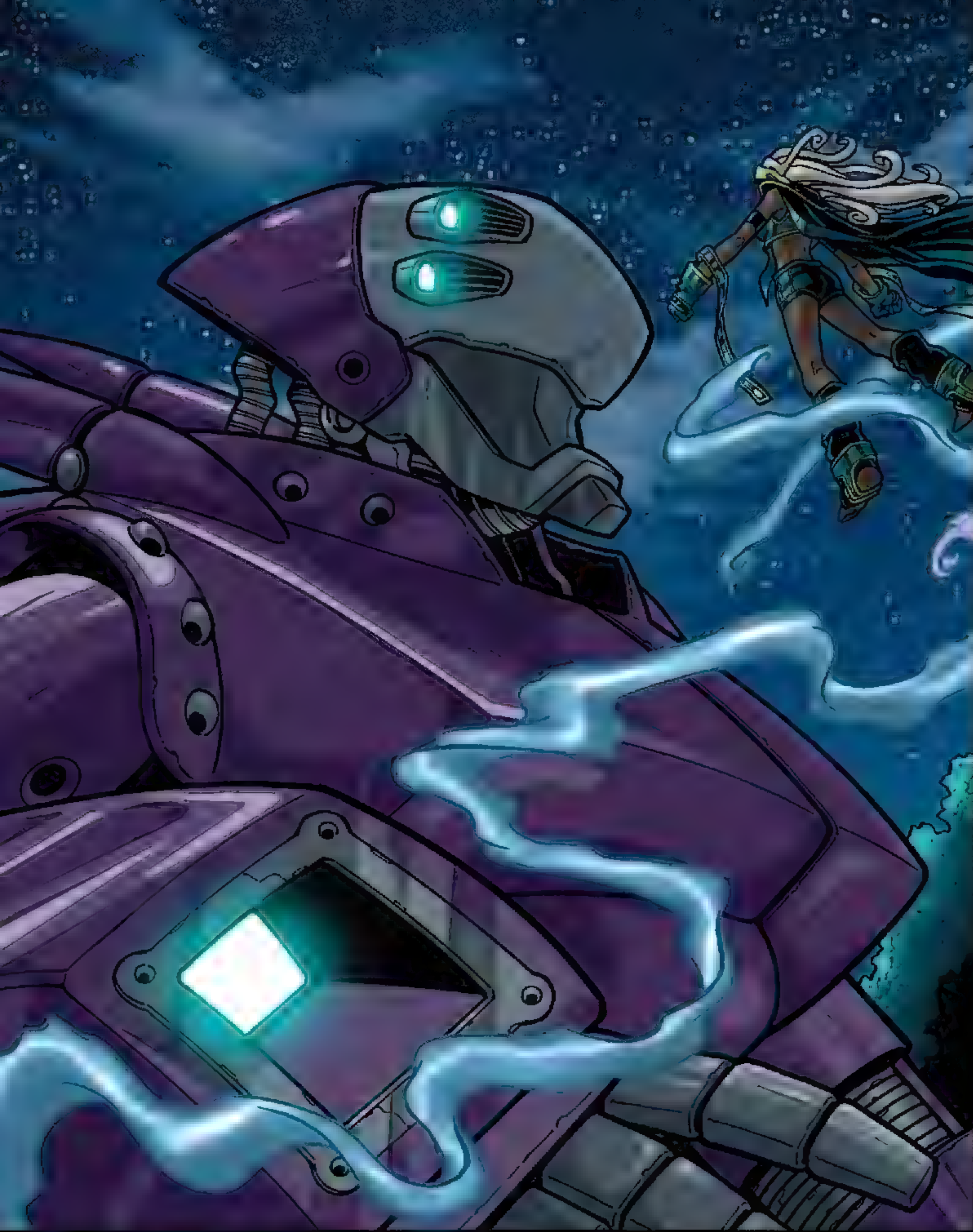
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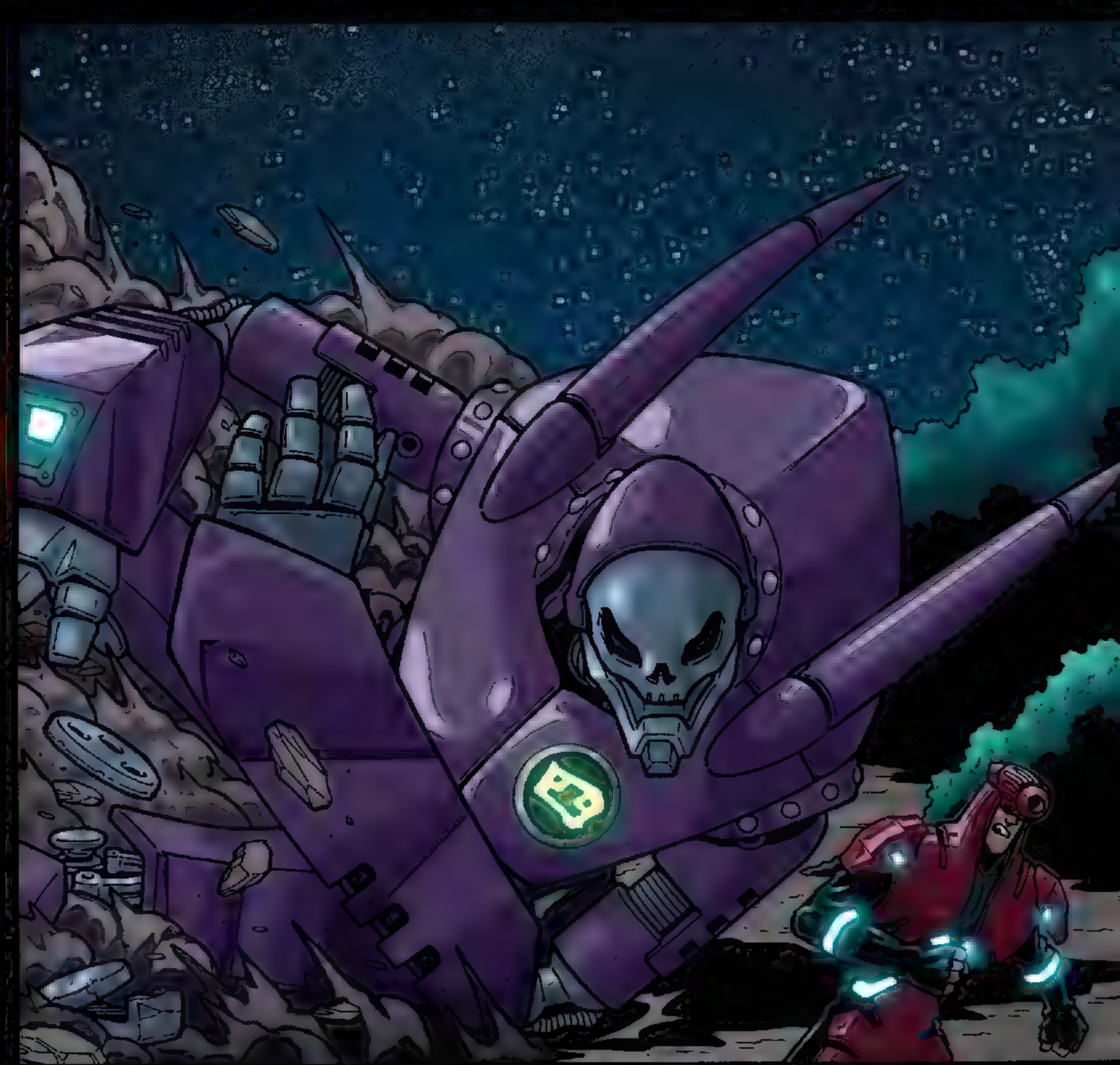
Somebody help! Get this thing off of me!

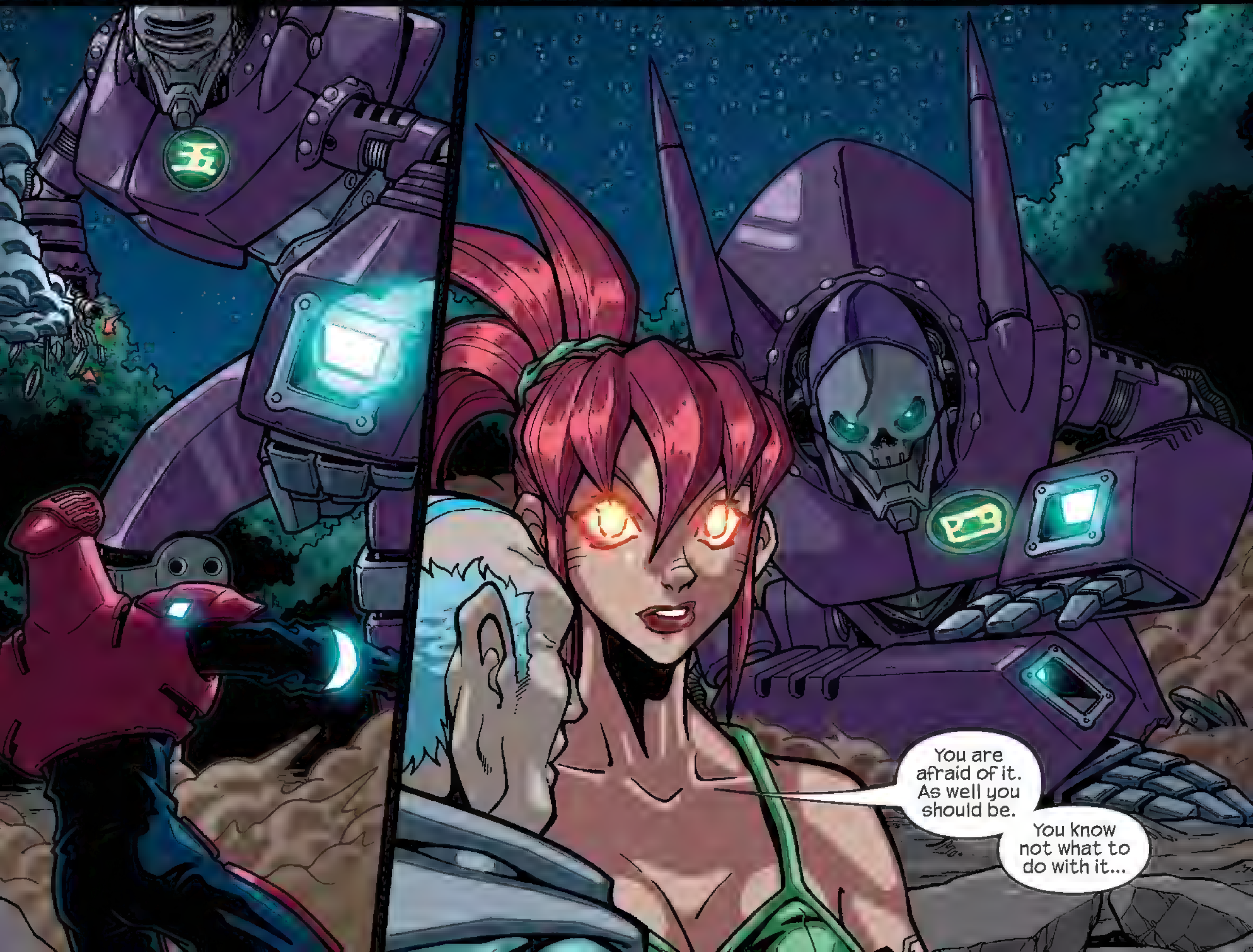
SKRAK!



No, Jean... you come with me.







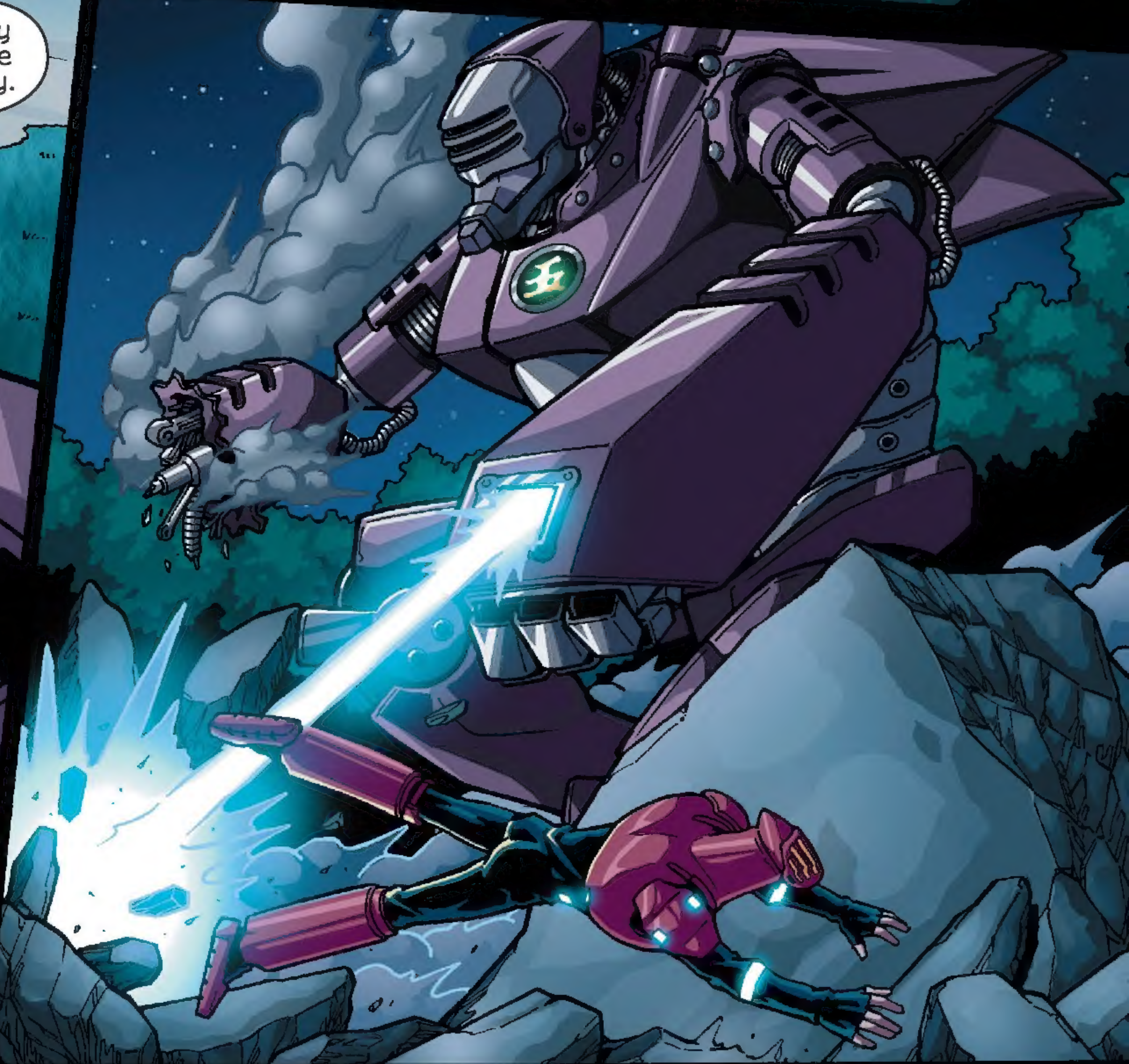
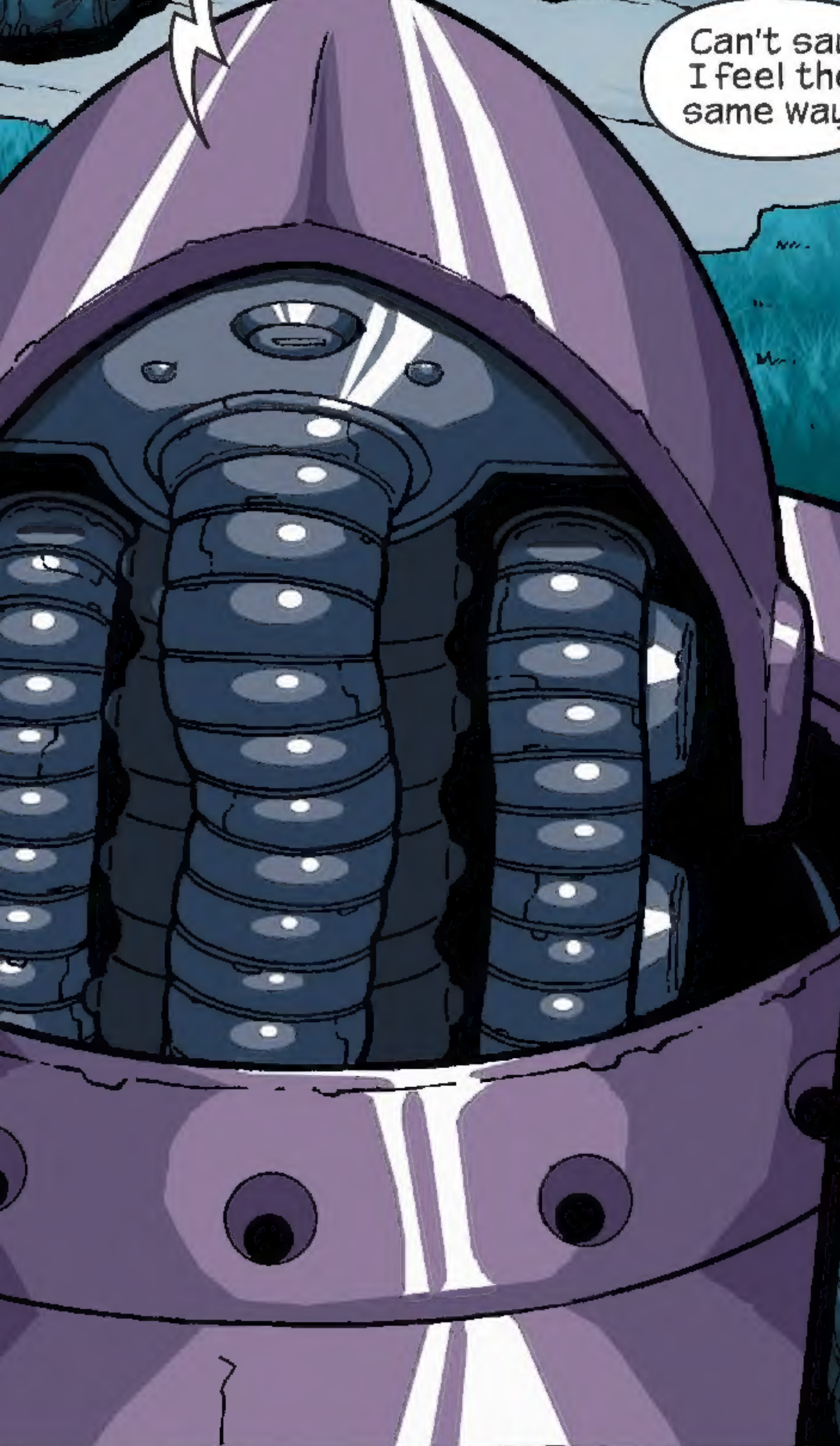


I do not wish to harm you.

Can't say I feel the same way.



You must dispel this energy, Jean. And this is as good a time as any to do that.



Focus on the energy, Jean. Feel it inside you. Now, bring it together. Concentrate it in one place. Let it gather... grow... take form within you. Then...

...release it!









Move.

TO BE
CONCLUDED...